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MISSING BOY LOCATED. Carl Pirtle in Custody of Jackson-ville, Fla., Police.

Information reached here yesterday that Carl Pirtle, thirteen years old, who disappeared the afternoon of March 6, is in ustody at Jacksonville, Fla. His father, Mr. Charles H. Pirtle, who lives at No. 118 10th street northeast, has arranged for his return home. Mr. Pirtle was superintendent of the Senate document room for some time, having come here from Lincoln, Neb. The boy attended the Maury school, and the day of his disappearance he left the school at 3 o'clock. He had saved about \$5, his at 3 o'clock. He had saved about \$5, his mother acting as his banker. This money he took with him. Previous to leaving the boy questioned his mother about the distance to Jacksonville, saying he wanted the information for his teacher.

When the police were asked to look out for the boy it was believed he had started for Nebraska to visit relatives and the latter were communicated with. Relatives in Richmond were also advised of his disappearance.

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The boy's statement is that he was induced to go to Florida by another boy, who said he could get work in his unc'e's store at \$1.25 a day. He called on the police at Jacksonville when his money was gone and said he was tired of tramping. The boy told 'the police of his experiences on freight cars and at towns where he and his companion stopped. At Charlotte, N. C., Carl Imagined that the police had been asked to arrest him and he managed to keep out of their way. He will probably reach home tomorrow.

### IN CHESS CIRCLES.

Capt. O'Farrell of the later-city telegraph meeting for March 20 at the rooms of the Washington Club, to arrange the details of that matter, in time to report to board of managers in New York on the occasion of

The match for the checker championship of the District between Messrs. Farquhar and Potts was won by the former, 9 to 2.

of the District between Messrs. Farquhar and Potts was won by the former, 9 to 2, with nine drawn games.

Mr. R. M. Haines of the executive committee of the lowa State Association was a visitor to the club during the past week. The annual cable match between this country and Englang is now close upon us, March 23 and 24 being the dates of that interesting event. Since the publication of the names of this year's selection, nothing but satisfaction has been expressed thereat. If there is a loose screw in the combination it will take the event to prove it. The English team consists of H. E. Atkins, G. E. H. Eellingham, J. H. Blackburne, E. M. Jackson, H. Jacobs, F. F. Lawrence, F. J. Lee, D. Y. Mills, H. W. Trenchard and W. Ward, Mr. Ward, who replaces Mr. Burn, is a member of the City of London Club and appears to be in just about the same class with Mr. Lawrence, both being in the current tourney of that organization and running neck and neck.

Mr. Burn has hitherto been looked on as the second of the English players, but in a current match with Mr. Bellingham the score is against him 4 to 1, with one drawn. No reason is stated why he refuses to play this year.

A vigorously conducted Ruy Lopes, from the semi-final of the second or auxiliary tournament of the Pilisbury Association, is the following, won by R. A. Bachla of Brooklyn from J. C. Stokes of Manhattan:

Brooklyn fr	om J. C.	Stokes of Ma	Bachia of			
Ruy Lopes.						
R.A. Bachia.  1 PK4 2 KtKR3 3 BK15 4 BR4 5 Castles 6 PQ4 7 BK13 8 PxP 9 KtKt5 19 BxKt 11 KtR3(a) 12 BKR4 13 BKR4 14 KtK2	J.C. Stokes. P K4 P K4 Kt. – QB3 P. – QR3 Kt. – B3 Kt. P. – QK4 P. – Q4 Kt. – K2 Kt. Kt. P. – QB3 Q. – B2 Kt. – K13 R. – K3 R. – B4	R. A. Bachia, 15 KR. 16 PQB3 17 PKB4 18 RK. sq 19 PKR3 20 BR2 21 QQ2 22 PB5 23 R.R 24 PB6 25 RKB 26 R.P(d) 27 BB2	J.C.Stokes. Castles (K) Q.Kt2 B.KK15 P.KB4(b) P.RS B.R4 B.Kt3 BxKt KtR QRK(c) PxP QQ-Q2 RK3(e)			

defense to	White's 27	th move.	
rom the No	tional Mast	ters' Tourname	ent, Vienus,
	French	Defense.	
Wolf. 1 P-K4 2 P-Q4 3 Kt-QB3 4 KtxP 5 B-Q3 6 P-QB3 7 P-KB4(b) 8 BxKt 9 Kt-B3	Schwarz. P-K3 P-Q4 PxP(n) Kt-KB3 B-K2 QKt-Q2 KtxKt P-QB4 Kt-B3	Wolf. 13 B-Q2 14 KtxP 15 R-B3(c) 16 PxP 17 B-K4 18 K-R 19 QxB 20 Q-Kt4 21 B-Kt5	Schwarz. PxP B-B4 P-K4 B-K15 QR-B(d) BxR Kt-B2 K-R(e) O-K
0 B-Q3 1 Castles 2 B-K3	Castles P-QK13 Kt-Q4	22 R-R6! 23 KtxKt 24 Q-B5	Rt-KS(t) R-KKt Resigns.

(a) The most common play here is Kt-KB3. Lasker, however, advises the text move as not laying the defens open to the vigorous attack which has its characteristic moves P-K5, P-KB4, Q-K14, B-Q3. &c. The move 3 ..., PxP was recommended also by Alapin in a recent number of the British Cheas Magazine, to be followed on Black's part by B-Q2 and B-QB3. In order to solve one of the greatest troubles in the French defense, namely, the development of the QB.

(b) This move, like others in White's opening, appears weak. It would be so ordinarily, since it abuts up the QB. But a move must be judged by

its results, and the advance of that pawn played an important part in the combination that came later.

(c) A remarkably ingenious sacrifice, resulting in a position almost sure to win. Since it loses the exchange, and by a neat play of his adversary, it losks like an oversight. It might have been so. The foundations of fortunes are often haid by lucky mistakes, and "brilliancies" in chess frequently begin the same vay.

(d) If Brit at once the Kt could not be defended or moved without exposing the rook.

(e) The particular combination which followed might have been prevented by P-Kt3 or Kt-K3, but others just as dangerous, though not so artistic, would have ensued. It is blain that Black did not foresee the fatal effect of B at Bd.

(f) off course, if PrB, mate follows in two.

For a long game the following has more good chess and instruction in it than half a dozen of less lengthy specimens:

From the Kolingh T.

From the	Wounds !	Fourney a	Vienna.
M.Popfel.			M.G. Marco.
1 P-K4	P-K4	44 R-QR2	B-B6
2 B-B4	KKt-B3(a)	45 R-QB2	B-Q5(m)
3 PKB4(b)	KtyP	46 R-K2	P-B3
4 P-Q3	Kt-Q3(c)	47 K-B4	
5 B Kt3	PxP		K-B2
6 QBxP	B-K2	48 R-QR2	PKt4ch
7 Kt-KB3	Castles	49 K-B3	B-Kt3
8 Kt-K5,d)	D. F.	50 P-Q4	BxP
9 B Kt3	Kt-III	51. RxP	K-Kt3
To Castles	B-K6ch	52 R-Re	P-QB4
11 K-R		53 R-B6	Kt-B2!(n)
12 KtxKt	B-Q5	54 RxBP	Kt-K4ch
13 P-QB3	QPxKt B-B3(e)	55 K-Kt3	KtxQBP!
		56 R-QKt7	Kt-Q3
14 Kt-Q2	Q-Q2(f)		
15 Q-B3	Q-Kt5	58 K-Kt2	
16 Q-B2	В-К3	59 R-Q3	B-Kt5
17 Kt-B3	BxB	60 K-B3	Kt-Q7ch
18 PxB	Q-K3	61 K-K3	K-B2
10 P-QK14	Q-Q4	62 K-K2(0)	K-K3 K-Q4
20 KR-Q	P-QR3	63 R-K3ch	
21 P-QB4	QK-B4	64 K-Q	Kt-K5
22 R-R5	Q-Kt3	65 K-K2	Kt-Q7(p)
23° B-R4(g)	KR-K	66 K-B2(q)	B-B6!
24 P-R3	R-K2	67 K-K2	B-Q5
25 R-Q2	QR-K	68 R-Q3	Kt-K5
26 B-Kt3	R-KG	69 K-B3	Kt-Q3
27 R-R3	Q-B4	70 R-Q2	Kt-B2
28 K-Kt	Q-K3	71 R-K2	Kt-K4ch
29 K-B	Q-B4(b)	72 K-Kt3	K-B3
30 K-R5	Q-Q2	73 R-QR2	K-Kt4
31 Kt-K5(1)	KRxKt	74 R-R8	K-Kt5
32 BxR	RxB	75 R-QKt8ch	K-Kt5 K-B6
33 RxR	BxR	76 R-Kt7 77 K-B3 78 K-K2	Kt-06
34 P-KK14	B-R3	77 K-B3	Kt-Kt5
35 K-Kt2	P-KR4(1)	78 K-K2	KsP
36 K-B3	PxPch	79 K-Q2	P-B5
37 PXP	O-K3	80 K-R	R-Kach
38 R-K2	B-K4	81 K-Kt	P-B6
39 Q-R4	Q-B3ch(k)	82 R-QB7!	P.KRAUP
	RxQ	83 PxP	P-B7ch
41 P-QKt5! (I)		84 RxP	KtxR
	PrP	85 P-B6	Kt-RGch
	D.D.	00 F D	RI-RUCH

(a) This is called the Berlin defense to the king's bishop's opening.

(b) A move of the "who's afraid" order, but does not give White any picale when answered by 3 .... P-Q4.

(c) Malutaining the pawn by tying himself up a triffe, giving better running chances than the more bold outburst of 1 .... Q-R5 ch.; 5 P-Kt3, KtxP; 6 KKt-B3, Q-R4; 7 R-Kt.

(d) White should do all he can to develop his pieces before reaching out in such a hurry: 8 .... QKt-Q2, for instance.

(e) Forcing White to exchange his KKt and gaining a freedom of movement he could not have secured so easily but for the above mentioned premature play of 8 Kt-K5.

(f) Some players have a scared feeling about making the thirteenth move and are very cautious about it, taking ample time, earneatly believing that the whole issue of the game depends upon it; the unind is much relieved, therefore, when this move is an easy one, as was White's in this case, where there was no perplexity of choice.

(2) White has brought in quite a dash during these last moves, but placing the hishop thus is unavailing, as Black is not compelled to take 23 P-M3, and 24 B-M4 would have suited well enough.

(b) Black has good prespects of victory and is

23 P-183, and 24 B-B4 would have suited well enough.

(h) Black has good prospects of victory and is studying how to go ou with it, which is no easy matter to pick out.

(i) And White breaks in by giving two minor pleces for a rook, with the hope of a draw as the result in view. He might safely have ventured his queen's rook across to the iring's side, first chasing the adverse KR back by B-B4; when the finish must have been vary hard to see.

(j) Good play; whether he takes or not, Black will weaken him on the king's side, his queen's side being already in a desperate fix.

(k) Giving him a gentle check and forcing an exchange of queens, which is to his advantage.

(i) This is a he-one! Wonder if Black saw it? if 41..., FaF, he loase his knight by 42 P-B5!

(m) Black plays well; he has a very hard game to win, and great care and patience are necessary. But to win was his hope, and he has done his level best right through to score this game and get a good place among the prise winners. Marocay, Schiechter and Alapin, nevertheless, came in ahead of him.

(ii) A move of a much higher order than the plain.

of him.

(a) A more of a much higher order than the plain 53..., Kt.-K. It is such mores as this that make so many of these fournament games worth playing over.

—Q. Any of the side peopie know what is ave done then!

(r) If 82 P-B7 ch., RxP, 83 KtxR, and Black a stale mated! The more in the text shows that estither player had gone to sleep and that to win you have to keep your eye constantly on the watch. (s) If and Kt finish is very pretty—a fit ending to a well-played game.

Walter Middleton, Thomas Cox, Charles Williams and Garfield Scott, four colored boys, overheard two white youths inform icer Edwards of a crap game in my officer Edwards of a crap game in which the colored parties had been engaged. The white boys were Birney Wise-miller and Joseph Allen, and they were afterward set upon and assaulted by the negroes. The latter were in Police Court this morning and were fined \$10, with the alternative of thirty days each.

### Right Arm Scalded.

Mrs. Alpheus Hoopes, who resides on Jef-ferson street extended, Anacostia, was se-verely scalded on her right arm yesterday verely scaled on her right arm yesterday morning shortly after 9 o'clock. She had lifted a kettle of boiling water and was about to pour some in a pan, when she stumbled, the contents of the kettle being thereby spilled over her entire arm. A physician was summoned and the injury dressed. It was found to be an exceedingly painful one.

### IN EASTERN LEAGUE

Burns' Springfield Team Will Protably Come Here.

### PLAYERS WHO WILL COMPOSE THE CLUB

How the Clubs Are Strengthening the New Yorks.

CURRENT SPORTING NEWS

versy between the National and American leagues over the placing of a club in Chitakes Washington out of the visionary American Association and makes it a member of the Eastern League. There was launching the American Association and the magnates seemed to be at sea as to its actual organization. J. Earl Wagner admitted that he had come to Washington at the request of the National League com-mittee, and that he knew little about what was intended. Mr. Wagner denied the western story that he was to be the agent of the league in Washington, but the gen-eral look of affairs placed him in that position. Mr. Wagner went to his Phila-delphia home Saturday with the under

delphia home Saturday with the understanding that he would return to Washington today. Up to the noon hour he had not put in an appearance, but he may arrive later in the day.

A majority of the local base ball enthusiasts will doubtless deplore the fact that the proposed association under the control of the league has dropped out of the running, but an Eastern League club should be just as strong in every particular. The parent body cannot take care of the 200 players who have worked their way up out of the minor leagues, and these men will naturally drift into the Eastern and Westplayers who have worked their way up out of the minor leagues, and these men will naturally drift into the Eastern and Westsern leagues, and form as strong a body as the association, for it was these players that the latter expected to employ. President Powers has already registered requests for several players under the reservation of the different clubs in the National League, and as the situation crystalizes for the coming season these requests will be very numerous. The clubs in class A minor leagues, the Eeastern and Western (or American, as it is now styled), are quite strong already, but with the additional talent at their command a strong aggregation of ball players can be whipped into shape for the two organizations.

The Proposed Washington Team.

The Proposed Washington Team. Manager Burns of the Springfield club has een heralded as the man to be placed in charge of the Washington club the coming and Manager Barnie of the Hartford club, will go to Baltimore. Manager Burns had charge of the Chicagos last season, and is considered an able judge of a player's ability. Should Manager Burns be finally located in this city it is a foregone nnaily located in this city it is a foregone conclusion that not more than two or three of last year's Springfield team will come with him, and that players like Padden, Hoy, Powers, Brodie, Holmes and Anderson may join the club, thereby making the article of ball on exhibition of quite a high grade. Players like the ones mentioned are just a shade under the first grade and must be taken care of, and as they drift into the class A clubs the younger members thereof will be pushed back into the class B organizations.

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Next season everything will right itself in the base ball world. The Quinn-Richter new American Association now has five clubs organized, and between this time and next season it will gather in the other three clubs and be ready to battle with the National League. This year the players will suffer to a certain extent, but their time is coming, and they will once more be placed in the position of being the greatest attraction of the game.

#### Strengthening the Glants.

Nothing new has cropped up within the past twenty-four hours in the New York thrown overboard his promises to make the Giants a strong aggregation next season and awaits the action of his brothe magnates. He will not put up a cent to strengthen the New York club, and he will

Already the Boston club has come to his assistance by "loaning" Hickman and Frisbee, either one being better than Slagle, over whom he is raising such a fuss, while Mr. Brush is credited with also "loaning" Twirler Hawley and Fleider Selbach. These players should make the New York team quite strong, but other good players will probably he given to Freedman and a for-

quite strong, but other good players will probably be given to Freedman and a formidable club finally rounded up.

The league magnates should go slow in this "loaning" business. Last season there was quite a howl over syndicate ball, but that involved only two clubs, while the present loaning business will apparently take in 'the entire organization. Hippodroming will never do in base ball, and it seems foothardy for the National League to create material for the coming opposition by "booming" the New York club. Pitcher Case Patten, who was obtained by the Cincinnati club last season and then "farmed" out to the Kansas City club has been recalled to the Reds by Manager Allen. Patten's work in the Western League last season was sensational, and Manager Allen concluded that Cincinnati wanted him quite badly. With Breitenstein, Hahn and Patten the Reds have quite an array of southpaws.

The Cincinnati outfield next season will

southpaws. The Cincinnati outfield next season will probably be McBride, Barrett and Crawford with Elmer Smith as utility fielder. Sel bach was never considered, and Smith' bach was never considered, and Smith's work last season was disappointing in the way of batting. There is a great deal of unknown talent in the Reds, and it would be just like Manager Allen to surprise the base ball world by making a winner out of bleeches.

### PEACE ASSURED.

National and American Leagues Reach Agreement About Chicago. American League base ball owners a Chicago made an amicable arrange Saturday with James A. Hart of the Chicago League club, for a club of the Ameri-can League in Chicago, and passed the entire deal up to the powers of the Nationa League for approval.

The talk of starting an American Associa

ngly ceased. The plan by which the na tional agreement is to be preserved provides for the purchase of the old base ball grounds at Cleveland by Kilfoyl and Somers at a price said to be \$10,000.

Hart insisted on the deal for the Cleveland grounds, and when it was agreed to he immediately sent telegrams to the other big league owners. The American League adjourned after placing full power of concluding the deal in the hands of President Ban B. Johnson, but there was still a chance that the deal would not go through. Mr. Kilfoyl, the Cleweland representative, was unable to say whether he and his partner, Mr. Somers, would take the old grounds in Cleveland, which the Robison brothers formerly used. The new Cleveland owners tried to buy out the Robisons, but were turned down and engaged another park.

but were turned down and engaged another park.

The American League adjourned, subject to call, and will probably be summoned again in the latter part of the week to take action on a schedule! In the meantime Charles Comiskey will proceed with his plans for a Chicago base ball team. The vote on invading Chicago regardless of an arrangement with the major league was seven to one in favor of war. There was, however, hope of a peaceful settlement.

The circuit of the American League will not include Louisville. It was found that Saulpaugh is not in a position to dispose of the Minneapolis club and that city will be retained. The circuit will be Minneapolis, Milwaukee, Kansas City, Chicago, Indianapolis, Detroit, Buffalo and Cleveland. The Louisville delegation, headed by Colonel Whiteside, was much put out.

THE HUNTERS' HANDICAP.

The borses nominated in the Hunters handicap steeplechase, to be run during the oming meeting of the Washington Jockey

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newspaper men at the democratic conven-tion in July. Sandor Von Inn, the king of

Great Danes, won the massive silver cupoffered by Frank J. Gould for the best dog of any breed. Gould's \$29,009 dogs, in cluding St. Bernards, won the lion's share

cluding St. Bernards, won the Hon's share of prizes.

The seventh annual 100-live-bird handicap of the Riverton (N. J.) Gun Club, held Saturday, was won by Daniel L. Bradley, the New York amateur crack wing shot, who killed 30. D. A. Unson of Cleveland, Ohio, and W. S. Rockfellow divided second money, with 86 birds. Others in the contest were E. C. Hunter, Reading, Pa. 85; R. S. Riverton, 74; T. C. Hecks, 71; R. A. Welch, 75; H. D. Kirkover, Fredonia, N. Y., 53; J. H. Davis, 50; N. S. Cashmore, 44.

The swimming winners at Sportsmen's show, New York, on Saturday, were: One hundred and twenty-five yards (champion-ship), won by E. C. Schaeffer, New York

hundred and twenty-five yards (champion-ship), won by E. C. Schaeffer, New York A. C. and U. of P.; time, 1:30 1-5, equaling amateur record. One hundred yards (con-solation race), won by J. F. McMilan, New York A. C.; time, 1:16 2-5. Relay race, won by the Lone Star Boat Club team, com-posed of M. Mezler, N. Bachman, S. G. Stern and A. L. Solomon; time, 2:48 4-5. The water polo game resulted in an easy victory for the Knickerbocker A. C. by 8 to 0.

SIR KNIGHTS AS HOSTS.

Visiting Templars Entertained by Columbia Commandery.

The visiting knights and ladies of Mary

Commandery, No. 36, Knights Templar, of

Columbia Commandery of this city, being

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White House and served with luncheon at Cabin John bridge. Commander Walter H. Klopfer presided at the luncheon, and after a dainty repast had been served made a cordial address, welcoming the visitors. Mr. Frank C. Price responded. Past Commander A. K. Gregory also spoke, and Messrs. Munck. Price, Elier and McCune rendered several songs. Before the party left for home each lady was presented with a bouquet. Certificates of honorary membership in Mary Commandery were conferred on

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Another Exhibition of the Holland An exhibition of the submarine torpedo

the Potomac near Alexandria for the pur

mond De Lafajole, naval attache of the

French embassy, an opportunity to make a

further scrutiny of the craft before his re-

nesday. The officer intends to make a re-port to the French naval authorities on the Holland.

presented to President McKinley

66c tomorrow for 75c Silk-finish Henri-ettas; also a "clinging" material. Twenty new violets, grays, tans, blues and reds. Extra

Special. 39c Fabrics.



MBRELLAS at \$1.39 for choice—some worth \$2,50. Various little lots bunched into one. Fifty-two of them-fifty-two rarely good bargains for ladies and men. And light-weight Mackintoshes for ladies at \$3.69 instead of \$4.50. Latest style, with detachable cape, a la militaire.

# Palais Royal, A. Lisner, G & 11th Sts.

H. Rozier Dulany (Piedmont Hunt, Vir-

ginia), b. g. Ochiltree, five years, by Tom Ochiltree or Galore—imported Hester, and b. g. Emory, four years, by King Hazem-J. D. Hall, jr. (Pine Hill Hunt, Virginia), br. g. Riley, six years, by Monticello-Smart

Girl.

E. O. Hayes (Warrenton Hunt, Virginia), br. g. Taghairm, four years, by imported Inverness—Trade Wind.

W. C. Hayes (Warrenton Hunt, Virginia), b. g. Champion, four years, by imported Cavaller—May Bee.

J. D. Hooe (Warrenton Hunt, Virginia), ch. m. Becky Rolfe, six years, by Tristan—Pocahontas.

Pocahontas
J. E. Larcomb, jr. (Chevy Chase Club.
District of Columbia), ch. m. Jacobel, five
years, by Jacobite-Harold.
W. K. Levering (Elkridge Fox Hunting
Club, Maryland), b. g. Young Exile, four
years, by Exile-Fidele.
A. C. Marshall (Piedmont Hunt, Virginia),
b. m. La Touraine, five years, by YucatanMargaret.

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J. Henry McCauley (Piedmont Hunt, Virginia), b. g. Sacket, six years, by Berson—Catherine C. Catherine C.
T. Nelson Page (Chevy Chase Club, District of Columbia), b. g. Hobson, four years, sire and dam haif-tired.
F. A. B. Portman (Warrenton Hunt, Virginia), b. g. Shandy Gaff, aged, sire and

dam half-bred.
C. W. Smith (Warrenton Hunt, Virginia), ch. g. Mr. Fore Paw, four years, by St. Carolus-Queen of the Forest.
E. L. Smith (Elkridge Hunt, Maryland), b. g. Diver, five years, by Clear the Way— Di Vernon.
Paid forfeit, one each, Chevy Chase Club,
E. K. Salisbury and E. L. Smith.

Steeplechase Course Rebuilt. club has rebuilt the steeplechase course so as to conform to the requirements of the rules of the National Steeplechase Association. These rules require at least six fences in every mile of the course; that the water jump shall be at least twelve feet wide and two feet deep, and guarded by a fence not less than two feet in perpendicular height; that there shall be in each course at least two ditches not less than five feet wide and two feet deep, guarded on the take-off side by a single rail and on the landing side a fence not less than four feet six inches in height, and, if of brushwood or gorse, not less than three feet in width. The minimum perpendicular height of all other jumps shall be not less than four feet six inches. This stiffening of the jumps at the Benning course will make the races over them all the more exciting and interesting, thus insuring the best of sport.

Notwithstanding the fact that the heavy snowfall of last week greatly interfered with the work of preparing the horses at the local track, the work is now going on, and the great majority will be ready on the opening day of the meeting, Monday, April 2.

SHOOT AT INTERSTATE PARK.

Score in the Peek-a-Boo Handicap Event. NEW-YORK, March 19.-The new shooting grounds of the Interstate Association a Queens, L. I., which will be known as in-terstate Park, were opened today under the auspices of the Brooklyn Gun Club. There was a fairly good attendance of

will end tomorrow, promises to be a very successful one. There were three events on

the program, each of which was a handi-cap. The opening event was the Peek-a-Boo handicap, the conditions being five cap. The opening event was the Peek-a-Boo handicap, the conditions being five birds. \$5 entrance, class shooting. There

ers killed five straight and divided the money.
Following is the score:
First event, five birds, handicap:
J. S. S. Rensen, 29 yards-2, 2, 2, 2, 2-5.
Captain Barker, 32 yards-2, 2, 2, 2, 2-5.
J. M. Thompson, 25 yards-1, 1, 1, 2, 2-5.
C. W. Feigenspan, 28 yards-1, 1, 1, 2, 2-5.
Dr. Woods, 27 yards-2, 1, 1, 1, 2-5.
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H. Doty, 29 yards-2, 2, 2, 2, 2-5.
B. Leroy, 29 yards-2, 2, 2, 2, 2-5.
C. W. Rodman, 26 yards-2, 0, 1, 0, 2, 2-4.
C. S. Campbell, 28 yards-1, 1, 1, 0, 1-4.
J. B. Hopkins, 27 yards-1, 0, 2, 2, 0-3.
C. Budd, 30 yards-1, 1, 2, 0, 0-3.
The second event was the Gored Ox han-

C. Budd, 39 yards-1, 1, 2, 0, 0-3.
The second event was the Gored Ox handicap, seven birds, \$5 entrance, birds included. There were fourteen entries.
Following is the score:
Miss Annie Oakley, 26 yards; Captain Barker, 32 yards; C. W. Feigenspan, 29 yards; Dr. Casey, 28 yards; A. Doty, 29 yards; Dr. Woods, 27 yards, killed seven each

each.
C. S. Campbell, 25 yards; J. M. Thompson, 27 yards, and B. Leroy, 29 yards, six each.

J. B. Hopkins, 29 yards; J. S. S. Rensen,
29 yards; C. Budd, 39 yards, five each.

D. C. Bennett, 25 yards, and C. W. Rodman, 28 yards, four each.

Maud S., the famous trotter, died at Shultshurst, the breeding farm of John H. Shults, Port Chester, N. Y., Saturday. She was brought to the farm from New York week ago and it was intended to use her a week ago and it was intended to use her for breeding purposes. She was sick when she arrived here and had been under the care of a veterinary surgeon. She gradually became worse, however, and all efforts to save her were fruitless. Maud S, was owned by the Bonner estate, and was twenty-six years old. Her trotting record of 2308% was made in 1885. She came here in company with Sunol, 2308%. Maud S, when exhibited a short time ago at the sale in New York of the late Robert Bonner's horses, was in excellent health and sate in New York of the late Robert Son-ner's horses, was in excellent health and spirits. That trip and her changes of stalis may have had something to do with her fatal illness. A cold developed from her trip to Port Chester on a steamboat.

For the fourteen stakes at Washington Park, Chicago, this year, 983 entries have been received. Dixon and Titus tied for first place in the

Saturdey. R. C. Watson, jr., will play L. L. Harban today for the championship in the final of the annual golf tournament at Ormond,

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Cornell's base ball team will leave for the southern trip on March 25. The first game will be played at Calhoun, S. C., with Clemsen College. Cornell has great hopes of her battery material and expects to surprise Princeton and Pennsylvania with it.

"Dutch" Carter, Yale's star pitcher in 1895, has gone to the assistance of Camp in coaching the base ball men. Yale has done away with the system whereby each candidate was kept in his position for a limited time each afternoon.

At the Crescent Athletic Club of Toronto. Canada, Saturday night, Spike Sullivan of Ireland and Walter Burgo of Boston fought at catch weights, Burgo being entirely outclassed. The referee stopped the contest in the fourth round and awarded Sullivan were three events on

The Kansas city dog show, which was